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CHAPTER	11	SECTION	“Compromise Comes to an End” <i>American Cultures 2</i>	TOTAL POINTS
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I. Define the following terms (2pts.):

1. *Fugitive Slave Act* _____

2. *Kansas-Nebraska Act* _____

3. *Pottawatomie Massacre* _____

4. *Lecompton Constitution* _____

5. *Know-Nothing Party* _____

II. Complete the following sentences: (1 pt. each)

1. In 1852, both major political parties adopted platforms _____ the
Compromise of 1850, vowing to avoid further debate over _____.

2. Harriet Beecher Stowe’s novel _____ *Cabin*
dramatized the plight of _____ slaves.

3. Several northern states passed “_____” laws,
which prevented officials from enforcing the fugitive slave act and guaranteed captured runaway slaves
_____ assistance.

4. As _____ settlers prepared to elect their first territorial legislature, some 5,000 proslavery _____ residents crossed into Kansas.
5. Casting _____ votes, they helped elect a _____ legislature.
6. The _____ residents formed a Free State party and elected their own _____.
7. A group led by abolitionist _____ attacked a proslavery settlement along _____ Creek.
8. In 1854, a group of antislavery _____ and democrats, along with some Free-Soilers, organized a party firmly opposed to the _____ of slavery. They revived the name of Thomas Jefferson's party, calling themselves _____.
9. Many antislavery _____ - _____ joined the Republican Party, which was becoming a powerful force in national _____.
10. The _____ Constitution gave the voters of _____ the right to decide only whether _____ slaves could enter the territory.

III. Answer questions 1, 2, 3, & 5 on page 349 of your textbook, using complete sentences. If necessary, use a separate sheet of paper. (2 pts. each)

